

LIST OF CURRENT CLAIMS

1. (Previously Presented) Fibre reinforced film, comprising a basalt fibre layer having on at least one side thereof a layer of thermoplastic material.
2. (Currently Amended) Fibre reinforced film according to claim 1, wherein the basalt fibre layer includes on both sides ~~with~~ a layer of thermoplastic material, each layer adhering to the other through openings between the basalt fibres, such that a matrix of thermoplastic material is created which comprises the basalt fibres.
3. (Previously Presented) Fibre reinforced film according to claim 1, including perforations in the film.
4. (Previously Presented) Fibre reinforced film according to claim 1, including a membrane on at least one side of the film.
5. (Previously Presented) Fibre reinforced film according to claim 1, including a bonding layer on at least one side of the film.
6. (Previously Presented) Fibre reinforced film according to claim 1, including a membrane on one side of the film and a bonding layer on the other side of the film.
7. (Previously Presented) Fiber reinforced film according to claim 4, including a barrier layer between the layer of thermoplastic material and the membrane.
8. (Previously Presented) Fibre reinforced film according to claim 7, including a bonding layer between the layer of thermoplastic material and the barrier layer.
9. (Previously Presented) Fibre reinforced film according to claim 7, including a bonding layer between the barrier layer and the membrane.

10. (Currently Amended) Fibre reinforced film according to claim 5, wherein the bonding layer mainly comprises bonding material selected from the group consisting of ethylene vinyl acetate, ethylene acrylic acid, ~~and~~ co-polyester [[or]] and co-polyamide.

11. (Previously Presented) Fibre reinforced film according to claim 4, wherein the membrane comprises material selected from the group consisting of polyester viscose, polyester cellulose and paper.

12. (Previously Presented) Fibre reinforced film according to claim 1, wherein the layer of thermoplastic material or the thermoplastic matrix is coloured.

13. (Currently Amended) Fibre reinforced film according to claim 1, wherein the basalt fibre layer is made as ~~comprises~~ a basalt fibre mat.

14. (Currently Amended) Method for manufacturing a basalt fibre reinforced film comprising the steps:

providing a basalt fiber layer;
providing a layer of thermoplastic material on at least [[on]] one side of the basalt fibre layer;
then pressing and cooling the layer of thermoplastic material.

15. (Previously Presented) Method according to claim 14, wherein, after a layer of thermoplastic material has been provided on one side, and after it has been pressed on and cooled, the basalt fibre layer with the layer of thermoplastic material is turned, so that the provided layer of thermoplastic material is disposed at or near the bottom, after which a second layer of thermoplastic material is provided on the upward directed side of the basalt fibre layer, after which the second layer of thermoplastic material is pressed on and cooled.

16. (Previously Presented) Method according to claim 14, wherein, together with a layer of thermoplastic material provided by means of extrusion, a membrane is

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with a layer of thermoplastic material provided by means of extrusion, a membrane is applied by means of co-lamination.

17. (Previously Presented) Method according to claim 14, wherein, together with a layer of thermoplastic material being applied, a bonding layer is applied.

18. (Previously Presented) Method according to claim 14, wherein after one or several layers of thermoplastic material have been applied, and after they have been pressed on and cooled, and optionally after either or both a membrane and a bonding layer has been provided, the film is perforated.

19. (Previously Presented) Method according to claim 14, including applying a layer of thermoplastic material by means of extrusion or co-extrusion.